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REBELS PLACE LARGE ORDERS

Arms and Ammunition Will Pour Into Mexico.

ONE LOAD CROSSES BORDER

Express Wagon Takes Entire Stock of El Paso Dealer to Juarez—Shipment Consists of Only Seventy Rifles and Thirty-seven Thousand Rounds of Ammunition.

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 5.—An express wagon trundled across the international bridge from El Paso to Juarez with the first load of munitions of war permitted to cross to the rebels under President Wilson's proclamation lifting the embargo. The wagon contained only 37,000 rounds of ammunition and seventy rifles, representing the entire stock of a local dealer, but large quantities of fighting weapons have been ordered by rebel agents and soon are to be shipped South for the rebel attack on Torreon.

Orders to permit the passage of arms to the Mexican belligerents were received by both the United States army and customs officials. The order came so suddenly that the rebel leaders at Juarez were unprepared for it. It was said that the next few weeks will witness shipments to Juarez as rapidly as carloads can be brought to El Paso.

Agents of General Villa made the rounds of dealers in El Paso to buy up all suitable arms, but they reported that the stocks had been depleted. Notwithstanding this customs officials received word that more than 500,000 rounds of ammunition in the last month were shipped to El Paso from various points.

WIN PRELIMINARY SKIRMISH

Federals Force Rebels to Withdraw Near Torreon.

Chihuahua, Mex., Feb. 5.—The first skirmish between the federal troops protecting Torreon and the rebel army advancing on that city resulted in a withdrawal of the rebel forces. The details of the fight reached here. It occurred in the mountain pass of Puerta de la Cadena, about thirty miles from Mapimi and northwest of Torreon.

With the arrival of General Francisco Villa from Juarez rebel leaders looked forward to the Torreon campaign, although trainloads of ammunition and rations for men and horses have to be shipped forward for a week or ten days before anything like a general engagement ensues.

PASSES IMMIGRATION BILL

House Retains Provision Calling for Literacy Test.

Washington, Feb. 5.—A literacy test for applicants for admission to the United States was provided by the house—241 to 146—after Representative James Manahan of Minnesota nearly precipitated a riot on the floor by charging Representative Burnett of Alabama with fear and cowardice. Burnett, who was in charge of the immigration bill, tried to hurry the debate along and frequently moved to proceed and shut off the discussion.

All proposed amendments relating to the exclusion of Asiatic immigrants were eliminated before the bill was passed.

As the bill passed it provides that every immigrant admitted to the United States must be able to read "the English language, or some other language or dialect, including Hebrew or Yiddish."

HOUSE WILL WORK NIGHTS

Hours Will Be Devoted to Federal Aid to Good Roads.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Night work for the house on the bill to appropriate \$25,000,000 for federal aid to good roads was authorized by the adoption of a special rule. Under the rule the house will sit from 8 o'clock until 10:30, beginning Friday evening, until seven hours have been devoted to the measure.

The pending measure, introduced by Representative Shackelford of Missouri, proposes federal co-operation with the states in constructing a system of interstate, state and county highways suitable for post roads, military and interstate traffic purposes.

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DECLARES VICE IS PROTECTED

Detective Burns Talks of Conditions in St. Paul.

INTENDS PUTTING END TO IT

Head of Private Investigating Agency Asserts He Has Been Engaged to Make a Thorough Investigation of Vice Conditions and Whether Any Graft Exists or Has Existed in Connection Therewith.

St. Paul, Feb. 5.—"Disclosures made to me indicate that St. Paul is one of the worst cities in the country so far as vice protection by the police and individuals is concerned."

This is the statement made by William J. Burns, head of the Burns International Detective agency, following his examination of six persons in the private office of County Attorney Richard D. O'Brien.

The persons examined by Mr. Burns will appear as witnesses before the Ramsey county grand jury, which is investigating charges of vice in St. Paul. They were obtained through the efforts of the citizens' committee, which announced some time ago that it would bring important evidence before the grand jury.

"The information brought to my attention is actually startling," Mr. Burns asserted. "It shows that vice protection has been carried on in St. Paul with a free hand."

"This state of affairs must cease and I came here to put an end to it," he continued.

"St. Paul is not the only city that has this deplorable condition to fight," Mr. Burns continued. "Every large city has more or less of it and from one end of the country to the other there is a great campaign under way to eliminate vice."

"Reforms and reformers may come and go, but the root of the whole evil is that of police protection and until this is wiped out we need not expect the moral condition for which all right minded citizens are working."

"Eliminate police protection, music and sale of beer in resorts and the so called social evil will have been given a death blow."

"Our investigation probably will go back over an extended period and we care not whom it hits," said Mr. Burns.

BROODING CAUSED INSANITY

Man Wrongfully Convicted of Crime Dies in Asylum.

Verona, Wis., Feb. 5.—"Old Tom," known for many years as the saddest man who ever lived at the Dane county almshouse and asylum here, is dead.

For forty years Thomas Seery was an inmate of the county institution, a faithful worker, but ever desiring to tell of the great injustice suffered by himself and his wife, who were convicted on a charge of stealing diamonds and sentenced to thirty years in state prison. After serving part of the sentence they were freed, discovery of the lost diamonds proving their innocence.

Continued brooding over the injustice for which the state laws then offered no redress Seery became insane and was committed to the asylum as incurable.

QUARANTINE ON BATTLESHIP

Eight Hundred Men Detained on North Dakota.

New York, Feb. 5.—The battleship North Dakota with its more than 800 officers and men has been placed in quarantine at the Brooklyn navy yard, where the vessel has been undergoing repairs. One case of diphtheria was discovered on board. The patient was removed to the naval hospital and the three-day quarantine that was ordered may be extended to twenty-one days, for it is not known yet whether other sailors have contracted the disease.

The dreadnought Arkansas has been under quarantine at the yards since Jan. 16.

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REV. CHARLES F. AKED.

Does Not Believe in Doctrine of the Immaculate Conception.



AKED SAYS HE WILL RESIGN

San Francisco Minister Declares He Will Quit Local Federation.

San Francisco, Feb. 5.—Dr. Charles F. Aked, president by unanimous election of the Church Federation of San Francisco, said that if dissatisfaction of even 1 per cent of the membership appeared because of his incumbency he will resign. He is pastor of the First Congregational church.

Dr. Aked took this position after a letter had been received at a meeting of the federation, signed by four Presbyterian ministers, calling for his resignation because of his declaration of unbelief in the doctrine of the immaculate conception.

RANSDELL WOULD PROHIBIT DIVORCE

Senator Introduces Constitutional Amendment.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Divorce with the right to remarry would be prohibited forever in the United States and in all places under the nation's jurisdiction by an amendment to the federal Constitution proposed in the senate by Senator Ransdell of Louisiana.

Enactment of uniform marriage laws for all states and territories, with provision for separation without permission to remarry, would be directed by the amendment.

With the states of the Union granting more than twice as many divorces as all the rest of Christendom combined, Senator Ransdell told his colleagues that the time had come for the nation itself to put down this menace to "the chief bulwark of society, the home—the maker of good citizens and the model on which every wise government is founded."

"The remedy by constitutional prohibition is drastic," said the senator, "but the malady is so fatal that nothing short of it will prove efficacious. In the United States divorce is spreading with alarming rapidity. The total number of divorces granted in 1867 was 9,937, or 27 per 100,000 population. Forty years later, in 1906, there were 72,062 divorces, or 86 per 100,000."

WILSON ASKS AN INQUIRY

Secretary Says Armed Guards Are Shipped From State to State.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Secretary of Labor Wilson, in his first annual report to the president, asked an investigation of the importation of firearms into strike regions in violation of interstate commerce regulations.

Groups of men on both sides, without military or police authority for it, have used firearms with fatal effect in the coal strike in Southern Colorado," he says. "Many of the armed men are said to have been imported into Colorado from other states through a business concern engaged commercially across state lines in supplying corporations with an armed and trained private soldiery or police in numbers running into hundreds and even thousands."

"In the Calumet copper mining region, armed guards under contract with the employers were forwarded to the locality by agencies in other states."

EX-CONGRESSMAN IS FINED

Scathingly Arraigned for Smuggling Diamond Into Country.

New York, Feb. 5.—Sentence of a term of six months in jail and fines of \$1,000 was passed upon Lucius F. Littauer, former congressman, and his brother William by Federal Judge Edward Thomas here on their pleas of guilty to a charge of conspiracy and smuggling a diamond into this country.

The jail sentence was suspended, however, as the court had scathingly arraigned the Littauers. The attorney of the former congressman said in court imprisonment would kill him.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS GROWING ACUTE

Many Months of Anxiety Would Snap Wilson's Nerves.

TEST OF MONROE DOCTRINE

Japanese Situation Looms Up as Mexican Crisis Fast Approaches—Ashurst of Arizona Paints Beautiful Word Picture of Southern Bravery—Alaskan Climate Lauded by Senator Lane.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Feb. 5.—[Special.]—A year ago the daily prayer of the administration then drawing to a close was that none of the important foreign complications pending would break until after the 4th of March. For nearly a year President Wilson has been carrying the burden of these foreign complications bequeathed to him by the preceding administration. There have been eleven months of peace, but few years of such peace would snap the nerves of a stronger man than Woodrow Wilson.

Mexico has not improved. In fact, the situation has grown worse since the new administration came into power. From time to time the Japan situation has been dormant, but it has been smoldering all the time. Every little while the smoke is seen, which shows that the fire is still burning.

Are They Allies?

Just now it would seem that the government which President Wilson will not recognize in Mexico is allied with Japan or at least has the sympathy of that nation.

Would it not be strange if the first real test of the Monroe doctrine should be fought out with a country in Asia, 8,000 miles across the sea? We have never fought for the Monroe doctrine. We have maintained it by diplomatic representation and unmistakable declarations.

And with all the fear of war no one wants war. There is not the least desire to provoke war with Japan, and it is the earnest hope that Mexico will not force a war in that country involving the United States.

Ashurst, Word Painter.

In his speech on woman suffrage Senator Ashurst did not do much in the way of word painting until he struck the fifteenth amendment, and then he "let 'er go." Speaking of the resistance of the south to that amendment, he said, "The southern people could not be humiliated nor degraded, for they were as brave a people as ever drew a sword or wore a plume, and amid the shock and desolation of war, when the earth beneath their feet seemed to slip and the stars above their heads to shift, they did nothing unbecoming or unworthy of their inspiring, gallant and heroic history and lineage."

Class of Objectors.

"There is a class of objectors," remarked Congressman Brumbaugh of Ohio "who object to the government doing anything anywhere except in their own locality." He hit quite a number of so called reformers right in the face.

"So Dry, You Know."

Every boomer of the far north is compelled to explain that, although the temperature runs down to a low point, the cold is not felt, "because the atmosphere is so dry, you know." Senator Lane was telling about Alaska.

"You couldn't tell whether the thermometer was 10 or 50 below zero," he said.

"I should like to ask the Oregon senator," said the matter of fact Senator Gallinger, "what treatment they give their ears when the thermometer is 50 degrees below zero?"

"I will tell the senator from New Hampshire," replied Lane. "When the thermometer was 46 degrees below zero I have been out on the trail mulling with a dog team in Alaska and carried my ears along with me and brought them back here."

Then he told about the "dryness in the air," "lack of humidity" and other features of the northern climate.

Description of Paternalism.

Congressman Dies was making a general raid on the pension system and denouncing paternalism. "Will you cease being dispiritingly witty and try to be commonsensically logical and define paternalism?" asked Hamilton of New Jersey. Dies asserted he would take a try at it and among other things intimated that the government should take to its employees and pensioners, "Go to the moving picture shows all you please, get a little jag any day if you feel like it, eat red apples and spend your money and do not be alarmed, for your father, the government, will support you when you are no longer able to support yourselves."

Two Important Subjects.

There were two measures upon which there was a real rush for the privilege of extending remarks in the Record. One was in relation to the agricultural extension bill, which only for minutes' debate was allowed, and the other was on the free rural delivery service. When an attempt was made to shut off debate on the latter proposition Minority Leader Mann protested. "This is a matter near to members," he said. And he was right. Nothing gets quite so close in politics as the free rural delivery service. In time the agricultural extension work may become as important.

Musical Philosophy.

First Fly—There will always be swatters. Second Fly—Yes. There can never be a foolproof fly.—New York Sun.

RODMAN WANAMAKER.

Building "Flying Boat," to Cross the Atlantic.



TO FLY ACROSS ATLANTIC

Rodman Wanamaker Expects to Accomplish Task.

New York, Feb. 5.—To cross the Atlantic in from twelve to fifteen hours without alighting is the task set a "flying boat" for which Rodman Wanamaker has let the contract.

In a letter to Allan R. Hawley, president of the Aero Club of America, Mr. Wanamaker says that the purpose of the undertaking is to make "a purely scientific test" of aeronautics.

SIX PERSONS PERISH IN BURNING HOTEL

Three Others Missing and May Have Been Cremated.

Bemidji, Minn., Feb. 5.—A later investigation of the fire which destroyed the hotel at Kellier revealed the fact that six persons were cremated and it is believed that the death toll will reach nine. Three men entered the hotel and went to bed without registering their names. No trace of the trio has been found. The dead are: Odin Mikkelsen, general store clerk; Gabriel Schobert, laborer; E. Pratt, homesteader; Charles Larson, laborer; M. McQuinn, deer river homesteader; T. O'Neill, Kellier.

The fire started from the furnace and when discovered by two passing woodmen had spread to the first floor. So rapid was the work of destruction that smoke and heat gave the first warning to guests that they were in peril.

Except for a few who were able to run down the main stairway the occupants saved their lives by jumping from second and third story windows. Thirty minutes from the time the fire started the building was in ashes.

BURGLARS' TOOLS DEFINED

Even Innocent Utensils Come Within Law's Meaning.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 5.—The supreme court has decided that even the most innocent utensils can be classed as burglars' tools.

A man named Boliski was arrested in a New London saloon and on his person were found the following articles:

A slab of slate, a strip of steel, a hammer, a saw, candle, soap, nitroglycerin, a fuse and a detonating cap. He was charged with "knowingly having in his possession burglars' tools." Boliski's counsel contended that a majority of the articles were not burglars' tools.

GRAFT CASE GOES TO JURY

Indications Point to Disagreement at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Feb. 5.—While the city waited for news of a verdict in the Flanagan-Turner graft trial the twelve men in whose hands rests the fate of the two former police officials wrangled behind the closed doors of their jury room in the courthouse.

Arguments to the jury by County Attorney O'Brien for the state and by Charles C. McElwee for the defense preceded Judge Morrison's instructions and the retirement of the jury.

Indications are that no verdict will be voted as the result of the trial.

ATTACKS NAVY YARD HEADS

Says Inefficiency Costs Price of Battleship Each Year.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Secretary Daniels continued his discussion of the naval policy before the house naval affairs committee, outlining the conduct of the government navy yard.

Representative Buchanan of Illinois questioned the secretary about the efficiency of the present military direction of the work of the yards, declaring the practice of placing naval officers as commandants in navy yards cost the government the price of a battleship every year in inefficiency. He urged that civilian experts be placed in charge of the yards.

The Dilemma.

"How can I ever learn to understand that girl?"

"You can marry her, but when you have done that it will be too late for your understanding of her to be of any benefit to you."—Exchange.

WOMEN'S HOPES GO GLIMMERING

CONDUCTOR KILLED IN CRASH

Runaway Train on Iron Range Road Crashes Into Freight.

Duluth, Feb. 5.—Paul Barcomb of Duluth, a freight conductor, was killed in the yards of the Iron Range railroad at Two Harbors when a south-bound pulpwood train ran away on the steep grade and dashed into Barcomb's train, which was about to leave for Duluth.

Lawrence Enfield, fireman of the runaway train, was injured slightly. Barcomb's body was buried under a mass of wreckage. The runaway train consisted of twenty-three cars loaded with logs and pulpwood. A number of cars of Barcomb's train were demolished.

ALL ON BOARD ARE SAVED

Vessel Strikes Rock and Sinks in Half an Hour.

Prince Rupert, B. C., Feb. 5.—The steamship Vado of the Union line, Captain Richardson, was lost in Masogon gulf, Portland canal, early Tuesday. The boat, in a heavy snow storm, hit a rock, sinking in half an hour in 170 fathoms. Twenty-six persons on board were all saved, reaching here by the steamship Venture.

Many of the crew were in their bunks and had only time to get a few personal effects and lower away small boats.

BISHOP WILL AID INDIANS

Tyler Gets Information at Carlisle to Help Him in Dakota.

Devils Lake, N. D., Feb. 5.—Bishop Tyler of the North Dakota diocese of the Episcopal church, when he comes to the state on Feb. 22 to undertake the duties of his new office, will give particular attention to the needs of the Indians, having spent some time since his ordination in studying the question of religion among the red men. Only recently he visited Carlisle university, where he met students from North Dakota reservations and from them he gained much valuable information.

FOR FEDERAL INSPECTION

Senate Committee Reports Favorably on Grain Measure.

Washington, Feb. 5.—A favorable report was made by the senate committee on agriculture on the bill providing for federal grain inspection. Senator Gronna of North Dakota, a member of this committee, declared that he and Senator McCumber, who for years has introduced such a bill, would make every effort to obtain the passage of the measure.

SAYRES AT THEIR NEW HOME

President's Son-in-Law Reaches Williamstown, Mass.

Williamstown, Mass., Feb. 5.—Francis B. Sayre and his wife, daughter of President Wilson arrived, to take up their residence. Mr. Sayre, who has been appointed assistant to President Harry A. Garfield of Williams college and instructor in government, will begin his new work at once.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Feb. 5.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, 88½c; No. 1 Northern, 87½c; No. 2 Northern, 85½c. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.48½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Feb. 5.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.40; cows and heifers, \$4.50@7.10; calves, \$4.50@9.00; feeders, \$4.30@7.15. Hogs—\$8.10@8.30. Sheep—Lambs, \$5.75@7.00; wethers, \$3.75@5.50; ewes, \$2.50@5.00.

St. Paul Hay.

St. Paul, Feb. 5.—Hay—Choice timothy, \$16.00; No. 1 timothy, \$14.50; No. 1 clover mixed, \$11.00@11.75; No. 1 mixed, \$10.50; choice upland, \$13.25; No. 1 upland, \$12.00@12.50; No. 1 midland, \$7.00@7.75; No. 1 alfalfa, \$15.00@15.75.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Wheat—May, 92½¢@92½¢; July, 88½¢. Corn—May, 65¢; July, 64¢@64½¢; Sept., 63¢. Oats—May, 39¢; July, 38¢. Pork—May, \$21.77. Butter—Creameries, 25¢@26¢. Eggs—24¢@26¢. Poultry—Springs, 15¢; hens, 15¢; turkeys, 16¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Cattle—Beesves, \$6.90@9.50; Texas steers, \$6.90@8.00; Western steers, \$6.40@7.85; stockers and feeders, \$5.40@8.00; cows and heifers, \$3.50@8.40; calves, \$7.50@10.50. Hogs—Light, \$8.15@8.45; mixed, \$8.20@8.45; heavy, \$8.15@8.50; rough, \$8.15@8.25; pigs, \$6.75@8.25. Sheep—Native, \$4.70@6.00; yearlings, \$5.70@6.85.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Feb. 5.—Wheat—May, 88½¢; July, 90½¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 51¢; No. 1 Northern, 88½¢@90½¢; to arrive, 88½¢@90½¢; No. 2 Northern, 85½¢@87½¢; No. 3 Northern, 82½¢@85½¢; No. 3 yellow corn, 56¼¢@56½¢; No. 4 corn, 54¢@56¢; No. 3 white oats, 35¼¢@36¢; to arrive, 35¼¢; No. 3 oats, 33¼¢@34¢; barley, 61¢@63¢; flax, \$1.50¼.

Democrats Are Opposed to Federal Suffrage Law.

STATES ALONE HAVE POWER

Representative Underwood of Alabama, Majority Leader in the House, Declares the Democratic Party Stands for the Fundamental Principle of Local Self-Government.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Hopes of woman suffragists that the present Democratic administration would see federal legislation enfranchising the women of the country were checked when Representative Underwood of Alabama, majority leader of the house, put the Democratic party squarely on record as opposed to federal action. Representative Underwood declared that the Democratic party took the position that the question of suffrage was one which should be left to the individual states to settle.

The question cropped up in the discussion of the immigration bill in the house and there was considerable debate as to just what the action of the Democratic house caucus in rejecting the Raker woman suffrage resolution meant. Representative Lenroot of Wisconsin declared that by defeating the proposition to create a new woman suffrage committee the Democrats had taken the position that women should not have an opportunity to be heard on the suffrage question.

"The gentleman knows," replied Representative Underwood, "the judiciary committee has been vested for many years with jurisdiction over this very question and it repeatedly has granted hearings to women as to whether legislation shall be passed submitting to the states a constitutional amendment for woman suffrage."

"The proposition that came before the Democratic caucus was merely to provide for a new committee, giving jurisdiction to the new committee which jurisdiction already is possessed by one of the ablest committees of this house. It is not a question of taking from them the right to be heard."

"Will the gentleman, as leader of the majority," asked Mr. Lenroot, "use his influence in the house for a vote of that resolution so that we may have an opportunity here to vote on it?"

"I would not do so, because I am not in favor of it," Mr. Underwood replied. "If there is one fundamental principle that my party stands for it is local self government."

ONE VOTE DEFEATS GLASS

Alabamian Loses Fight for Senate Seat by 32 to 31.

Washington, Feb. 5.—By a majority of one vote—32 to 31—Frank Glass of Alabama, editor of the Birmingham News, lost his fight for a seat in the United States senate. The vote sustained the recommendation of the committee on privileges and elections, which held that Mr. Glass was not entitled to be seated because his appointment by Governor O'Neal to succeed the late Senator Joseph F. Johnson was made after the seventeenth constitutional amendment directing election of senators by the people had been proclaimed in full effect.

VIGOROUSLY DENIES REPORT

President of Great Northern Says He Will Not Resign.

St. Paul, Feb. 5.—Although Carl R. Gray denies it vigorously it is stated on high authority that he will resign soon as president of the Great Northern railroad. It is believed he will assume a like office with the Frisco system.

"I am not going to resign—at present," was the way Mr. Gray answered the reports, adding that he had not been negotiating with any other road.

THREE SENATORS ARE ILL

La Follette, Bacon and Stone Confined to Their Homes.

Washington, Feb. 5.—Three United States senators are confined to their homes by illness.

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THE WEATHER

Temperature record taken at Gull lake dam, by Caretaker Arthur L. Mampel:

February 3, maximum 27, minimum 8 below.

February 4, maximum 10, minimum 12 below.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Phone 359-L for DRY millwood.—Advt. 178ct

Robert Ludlow, of Merrifield, was in Brainerd today.

Miss Julia Deering went to Little Falls this afternoon.

Brick ice cream delivered any part of city. Turner Bros.—Advt. 124ct

H. E. Wheeler, agent of "Buntyn" company, was in Brainerd today.

Archie Purdy went to Minneapolis this afternoon to attend the auto show.

Are you planning on going to that Baptist sleigh ride Friday night? If not, why not?—Advt. 1

Mrs. Thomas Hill, of Gren Bay, Wis., is the guest of Mrs. James Nolan.

George Weaver went to Minneapolis today to attend the automobile exhibition.

BRILLO'S aluminum polish. Guaranteed will clean. For sale by W. E. Lively.—Advt. 206ct

Mrs. Jerry StCyr, who has been sick at a local hospital, was able to leave today.

Mrs. R. H. Rehl went to Winnipeg, Canada, called there by the illness of her husband.

For SPRING WATER Phone 269R.—Advt. 244ct

The Laurels and the Cooks bowling teams play on the Coffrain & Cook alleys this evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Winter and little daughter went to Minneapolis on the afternoon train.

The Monday evening dances conducted by Miss Barry will be held at Black Hawk hall. 206ct

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Miss Nana Noren returned this afternoon to her studies at the University of Minnesota. She had been visiting the Misses Mary and Clara Headman.

Mrs. A. Dinwiddie has been appointed postmistress at Garrison vice C. E. Bernard resigned. The office will be removed two and one-half miles north when the new postmaster is commissioned.

Will Jeff ever be as tall as Mutt? Get it off your mind and join in the Baptist sleigh ride Friday night.—Advt. 1t

B. B. Gaylord, a prominent mining man of Crosby, went to Minneapolis to attend the auto show and to purchase an eight cylinder machine. It is said the cough of an eight cylinder can be heard over a wide area and that it is the most powerful machine ever constructed.

The L. M. Koop's store is certainly offering their stock of coats and suits at great reduction.—Advt. 1t

The little son of John Aro is said to have been struck by an automobile when he leaped from a sled on which he had hitched, and stopped directly in front of the car. He was bowled over in the snow, and the car, which has a big clearance, passed directly over him without harming him. The lad scrambled to his feet unhurt.

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The Professionals and the South Side bowling teams play at the R. A. Campbell alleys tonight.

Owing to the absence of a quorum there was no meeting of the directors of the Commercial club last evening.

Charles Stadbauer, who attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Peterson, returned this afternoon to Grand Forks.

Blankets, fine, serviceable, woolen ones and other kinds at B. C. McNamara.—Advt. 188ct30p

S. E. Lind, of Thief River Falls, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Lind is master mechanic of the Soo at that point.

Attorney F. A. Lindbergh, formerly postmaster of Crosby, went to Melrose this afternoon to attend to legal matters.

Dance at Mollanen hall, Friday evening, given by Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jenest. Everybody invited. Tickets 25c.—Advt. 208ct2

The Women's Missionary society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. F. J. Shipp of North Fourth street on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The U. C. T. council No. 545 will give its February dance at Elks hall on Friday evening, February 13. Invitations will soon be mailed out.

ing. Rev. A. Zabel preached the funeral sermon, the services being held at the home of a son, Herman H. Menz, of 905 Bluff avenue. Mrs. Nels Johnson sang and Mrs. Charles Risk played the piano accompaniment. The Yeomen attended the funeral in a body.

A large attendance was present at the funeral of Mrs. Charles Peterson. At 2 o'clock short services were held at the home and at 2:30 at the 7th Street Norwegian Lutheran church. Rev. M. L. Hostager officiating. The United Order of Foresters attended in a body. Rev. Hostager sang a solo and in his sermon he dwelt eloquently on the good and the charities done by the deceased. Miss Anna Michaelson sang a solo. The pall bearers were Anton Gilbertson, Charles Ellison, O. J. Olson, Iver Benson, John Engen and Henry Rosenberg.

The Young Peoples society of St. Paul's Episcopal church met last evening in the guild room. Between thirty and thirty-five were present. Th election of officers resulted as follows: President R. R. Gould, vice president George Coutu, secretary and treasurer Miss Mary Irwin. A few timely suggestions were given on request by Mrs. W. A. Fleming. Miss Evelyn Lyndon and R. R. Gould each favored the society with a recitation. This was followed by dancing. Refreshments were served by the Misses Isle. A good time was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be held on February 18.

A Wonderful Man.

"Eh, doctor," said a gillie of a small Scotch town to a friend, "he maun hae been an extraor'nary man, that Shakespeare. There are things hae come into his head that never would hae come into mine at a'."

BOOSTER CLUB MEETS

Friday Evening, February 6

At Council Chambers

At 10:30 club attends the smoker at Columbia Theatre as guests of Proprietor, Brother Booster Edwin Harris Bergh.

Look! Look! all rubbers and over-shoes now on sale at 10 percent discount. L. M. Koop's store.—Advt. 1

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Spencer and C. A. Albright returned from Fairbault last night where they attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Frank W. Ferris, whose death occurred there on Saturday last. They bring the news that Frank Ferris is seriously ill of pneumonia in a hospital at that place and that he was unable to attend the funeral services and burial of his wife.

Hereafter Miss Irwin's dancing classes will meet in the K. C. Hall Friday nights. Class in waltz and two-step, 7:30 to 9 p. m. Latest dances taught in the 9:15 class.

The funeral of Gustaf Johnson, aged 69, of 1106 Quince street, will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 from the Swedish Lutheran church. Rev. E. Carlsson officiating. Mr. Johnson was born in Sweden. He was married and had several children and some years ago retired from active farming and came to Brainerd to live. Interment will be at Evergreen cemetery.

Shoes! Shoes! our big line of ladies' misses' and children's shoes now on sale at 20 percent discount. L. M. Koop's store.—Advt. 1t

The printers may soon form a bowling team. Fred Britton, the rifle crack shot, has a record of rolling 168 at almost any time he is up. Editor R. M. Sheets, of the Brainerd Journal Press, has bowled as high as 192. To make 168 or 170 is an easy matter for him. Every time the ball hits the pins it pi's the whole set to pieces. Col. A. J. Halstead, of the Brainerd Tribune, is said to be a "strike out" artist.

Sweaters! Sweaters! Now on sale at 20 percent discount. L. M. Koop's Store.—Advt. 1t

The funeral of Mrs. Gustaf Menz was largely attended. The pall bearers were members of the Brotherhood of American Yeomen lodge, No. 602, many of the officers so officiat-

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The best way to avoid consumption is to stand up straight, according to the Bulletin of the American Medical Association. The writer says:

"The first essential in the avoidance of tuberculosis of the lungs, or consumption, is to keep the lungs strong, so that if the germs are breathed they can do no harm. One of the most important things in keeping the lungs strong is to keep the chest wide open so that the lungs can be properly used. If the body is drooped or stoops or if the shoulders are allowed to drag forward (round shoulders) or if the head is carried forward instead of well back over the shoulders the chest must be flattened, the breathing must be shallow, and the lungs, not being freely used, become weak.

"It is in this type of chest that tuberculosis usually begins. The consumptive is usually narrow chested, with drooped shoulders and with the head craned forward.

"While the development of a strong, well formed chest is one of the most important factors in preventing tuberculosis, the same thing is to be desired if the disease has once started. Not only should we live in the open, but we should stand up straight and learn to 'throw a big chest,' so that the lungs can grow strong and the fresh air be taken in.

"The runner, the singer or any one who is obliged to make sustained effort is taught to stand and sit with the chest high, so that the lungs can be used to the best advantage, and if every one would do the same thing there would be less tuberculosis because there would be fewer weak lungs."

Tearful.

Many a friend will shed a tear who will not shed a dollar.—New Orleans Picayune.

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AGITATION IS NECESSARY

If You Want Gas in Brainerd Let Mayor R. A. Henning Know Your Sentiments

THE CRITICAL PERIOD IS NOW.

Telephone, Write or Call on the Mayor, at Least Do Something if You Want Gas

There now rests with the mayor, R. A. Henning, for his approval, the recently adopted gas franchise and if people want the St. Cloud company to furnish Brainerd with gas, if they approve of the terms of the franchise, let Mayor Henning know about it.

It will take but a short time to telephone, to write or to call on him. The franchise was passed by a 6 to 4 vote. Aldermen Mahlum, Stallman, Smith, Hess, Peterson and Lagerquist voted in favor of the gas franchise.

Aldermen Anderson, Betzold, Haake and Galle, of the socialist party and of which party the mayor is a member, voted against the franchise.

Alderman Anderson stated he wanted the matter submitted to a vote of the people. He favored a municipal plant where possible. Some comment was made that the rates proposed were too high. Alderman Mahlum referred to the state law under whose terms the city can purchase the plant, thus giving municipal ownership whenever so desired.

There the matter stands. If the gas users in Brainerd desire a voice in the matter, now is the time to address the mayor and state your opinion.

The ordinance as prepared by the gas company is practically the same as the one prepared by Charles L. Pillsbury, consulting engineer of Minneapolis, who was employed by the special gas committee last summer to prepare an ordinance that would safeguard the interests of the city.

For Frost Bites and Chapped Skin

For frost bitten ears, fingers and toes; chapped hands and lips, chilblains, cold sores, red and rough skins, there is nothing to equal Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Stops the pain at once and heals quickly. In every home there should be a box handy all the time. Best remedy for all skin diseases, itching eczema, tetter, piles, etc. 25c. All druggists or by mail, H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.—Advt.

Witty Sayings.

W. S. Gilbert said of Beethoven's Tree's Hamlet that it was "funny without being coarse."

During an Englishman's lecture in New Haven the usher said to a late comer: "Please, sir, take your seat as quietly as possible. The audience is asleep."

A Philadelphia woman said: "Of course, there will be no marriage in heaven. There will be plenty of women there and a few men, but none any one would care to marry."

DISPATCH ADS PAY—TRY ONE

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners, Meeting Held February 3rd, 1914

Board met at the court house at 10 o'clock a. m. with all members present except Commissioner Tucker.

Minutes of the last regular meeting read and duly approved. Reports of the various county officers as to fees and emoluments received during the year 1913 were read and approved.

A letter was read from the Grave Lake Mutual Telephone company asking for permission to set a line of poles along the road in the south part of Nokay Lake town and on motion request was granted.

A letter from the state board of health was read reporting two cases of typhoid fever in Brainerd and one case of small pox and two cases of typhoid in Crosby and one case of typhoid in Cuyuna.

Petition of John Hagen and Carl I. Arnstead to be set off with their lands, viz: SW 1/4 and NW 1/4 SE 1/4, Sec. 32, Twp. 44, Rge. 30 from school Dist. No. 15 to Dist. No. 49 were read before the board. On motion a hearing was ordered before the board at the next meeting March 3rd, 1914 at 2 o'clock p. m.

A letter was read from W. H. Gemmell, general manager of the Minnesota & International railway company offering to furnish gravel from their right of way in Sec. 26, Twp. 134, Rge. 28 for surfacing state road No. 3. On motion a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Gemmell and the railway company for the generous offer.

Mr. Gemmell also called the attention of the board to their bridge across the Mississippi river above the dam at Brainerd and suggested that it might be used for public travel, as the company had abandoned that part of their road since the building of the Leaks cut-off. The board decided to examine the bridge and the abandoned road bed leading north to the same and enter into negotiations with Mr. Gemmell for its use as a public highway.

Board adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m. with all members present.

A discussion took place in regard to the taxation of mineral rights as separate from the surface, affecting especially the Pine Tree Lumber company who own the most of such mineral reservations in this county, and upon which taxes have been levied since 1906. The company filed answer to the tax judgment and the attorneys in the matter suggested a payment of a certain sum rather than fighting the case through the court. Attorney A. D. Polk and Mr. B. J. Hinkle appeared for the lumber company. The bare tax on all the property including 517 descriptions amounted to \$6249.46 for the four years in question from 1906 to 1909. The committee reported its willingness to accept \$3000 in payment of the debt and the lumber company accepted this proposal. The attorneys were therefore instructed to prepare the necessary papers stipulating this amount and that the case be discharged.

Seven bids were received for stationery for county offices as per addition (Continued on page 4)

STRONG POINTS OF GAS FRANCHISE

City of Brainerd Protected at all Times by the Terms of the Franchise Granted

NOT AN EXCLUSIVE FRANCHISE

Permits the City to Purchase the Plant at any Five-Year Period it May Designate

Some of the strong points of the proposed gas ordinance as adopted by the city council and which now awaits the signature of Mayor R. A. Henning are as follows:

This is not an exclusive franchise, its operations being limited to thirty years, and during its entire period it is covered by the laws of 1905 which permit the city to purchase the plant at any five-year period.

It requires the gas company to file annually with the city clerk a sworn statement of its gross earnings and expenses.

The ordinance provides that the company must at all times furnish an adequate supply of gas of a gross heating value of 550 British thermal units and of 16 candle power.

The company must commence work on the plant within six months and have at least nine miles of mains in operation in eighteen months.

The rates are on a sliding scale from \$1.25 per thousand cubic feet down to \$1 per thousand cubic feet to large consumers.

The ordinance makes the gas company liable for all damages or damage suits that may be brought against the city on account of any negligence on the part of the company.

It further provides that the ordinance may be annulled by the city council if at any time the gas company fails to operate or to furnish an adequate supply of gas for thirty days.—Advt.

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Who wants to take salts or castor oil, when there is nothing better than Dr. King's New Life Pills for all bowel troubles. They act gently and naturally on the stomach and liver, stimulate and regulate your bowels and tone up the entire system. Price 25c. At all Druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co. Philadelphia or St. Louis.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

At the Columbia

Did you see that great drama of the Civil War last night. It was a great revelation to many who are not accustomed to attend picture shows. About 20 veterans came to see the show and many will see it again today. The entire program including pictures and music was greatly appreciated by over 900 people. Tomorrow this popular play house with an entire new show and perhaps the best set of films yet seen in Brainerd.

At the Grand

The program at the Grand for tonight promises to be one of the best they have had. The Melville O'Neill Trio are harmony singers and come to the Grand with a good reputation. King & Brown are acrobats. In their act entitled "Two Men and One Pair of Legs," the two of them can do as much with one pair of legs as any other two could do with two pairs. Get this? The pictures are undoubtedly the finest ever shown in Brainerd. Don't miss the Grand tonight and don't forget they run a matinee for 5 and 10 cents Saturday and Sunday.

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HAPPY THOUGHTS.

Make for yourselves nests of pleasant thoughts. None of us yet know, for none of us have been taught in early youth, what fairy palaces we may build of beautiful thoughts, proof against all adversity, bright fancies, satisfied memories, noble histories, faithful sayings, treasure houses of precious and restful thoughts.—Ruskin.

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ACQUITTED ON GRAFT CHARGES

Special to Dispatch:

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 5.—Martin Flanagan, former acting chief of police and Fred Turner, former city detective, were today acquitted of accepting protection money from Dottie Hazard, a woman of the underworld. The jury was out about nineteen hours. Both defendants faced trial on other indictments.

Communication From Mayor Henning

To Editor Brainerd Dispatch:

Dear Sir:—After reading over the report of the council meeting of Monday night in your Tuesday night's paper, I have come to the conclusion on account of your paper referring to my charges against Mr. Rowley in four and one-half lines, and giving Mr. Rowley's side of the case a pretty fair explanation of the proceedings in the council, to write you and give the citizens of Brainerd an opportunity to judge of the merits of my charges.

Until Monday night I considered Brainerd's city charter (poor as it is) to be of some value at least, but when officers of the city refuse to carry out the provisions of the charter, one is led to the conclusion that there is no value to a charter that does not have to be complied with by the officials.

Paragraphs No. 1 and No. 2 of section No. 12, provide that every elected officer, and officer appointed by the mayor, can be removed by the council after charges have been preferred against an officer and the officer given an opportunity to defend himself.

As mayor of the city I feel it my duty, in so far as is within my power, to see that those who are elected or appointed to public office perform the duties for which they are elected.

I have attended meeting after meeting of the city council during the past nine months, and have heard the aldermen report complaints about leaks in water mains and hydrants. Have heard the council repeatedly instruct the city clerk to notify the water and light board to have these leaks repaired and nothing has been done.

Do the citizens expect that the city council and water and light board are to continue to see-saw back and forth and let the contractor, Slipp-Gruenhagen & Co., do this work, while they get ready, or do they, as my opinion is, expect that the elected officials will see that the work is promptly and properly done.

I preferred charges against Mr. Rowley in order to bring the matter to a position where definite action would be taken that would eliminate the cause of these complaints and thereby demonstrate to our citizens that we can take care of the public business of the city.

Your paper states that Mr. Rowley attended 6 out of nine meetings of the water and light board. This is not substantiated by the minutes of the Water & Light Board.

I give here a table showing the dates of the meetings, whether Mr. Rowley was absent or present, and the regular meetings, taken from the minute book of the Water & Light Board.

Date	Absent	Present
May 28	-	P
June 4	A	-
June 28	A	-
July 14	A	-
July 23	-	P
Aug. 4	-	P
Aug. 27	A	-
Sept. 2	A	-
Sept. 8	A	-
Sept. 24	-	P
Oct. 2	A	-
Oct. 22	-	P
Oct. 31	-	P
Nov. 4	A	-
Dec. 1	A	-
Dec. 31	-	P
Jan. 7	A	-

Total absent 10 times, present 7 times. In addition to the above the board did not hold a meeting on July 30th because neither Mr. Rowley or Mr. Dunn appeared at the meeting.

If it has taken seventeen meetings of the Water & Light Board from May 5 to Jan. 19 (date of my charge against Mr. Rowley) to do the business of the city and Mr. Rowley has only attended seven of the seventeen meetings, then I claim he has neglected his duty and so charge him.

I would ask the citizens to decide in their own minds if an officer can be absent from the city nearly the entire time for nine months, attending to his private business, and miss ten out of seventeen meetings of the board, and not neglect his duty as an officer of the city.

The fact that Mr. Rowley, myself and other officers of the city have expended time and money to attend to the business for which we were elected has nothing to do with the question.

Mr. Rowley says he will compare his record with mine and if it does not compare favorably he will step down and out. Your paper publishes that and sends it broadcast. I am willing at any time to compare my record with Mr. Rowley's and challenge him to public discussion of his record as a public official during the time that I also have been a public officer and hereby agree to personally bear one-half of the expense for such meeting.

In closing this letter I desire to

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To Union Men and Women

I wish to say to union men and women and all others in sympathy with them that I have been a union man since May, 1902, being a charter member of Local No. 951, U. B. of C. & J. of A.

I now own a sawing machine, the only union machine in the city and can succeed if the union men and women of the city will put themselves out a little to phone to No. 375 when they need wood cut. There are 1,500 union men in the city who could keep this saw busy if they would try. I only use one horse to haul my machine with. I hear that other parties are saying that it is the same if you hire them or me. I have no connection with anyone except myself alone. Thanking you for your patronage I remain,

Fraternally Yours,

C. H. HEATH
Corner Fourth and Laurel

Brainerd, Minn. Phone 375

Citation
State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Holland, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all persons interested in the proposed execution of an option agreement for a mining lease on certain land belonging to said estate: The petition of Arthur B. Church and George D. LaBar, as executors of said estate, being duly filed in this Court, representing that it will be for the best interests of said estate, and of all persons interested therein, that an option for a mining lease be granted by the joining of said executors in the certain option heretofore executed by all the residuary devisees under the last will of said decedent, and praying for an order of this Court authorizing said executors to join, as such, in the execution of such option agreement. Now, Therefore, You, and all of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any there be, before this Court at the probate court rooms in the county court house in the city of Brainerd, in said county, on the 24th day of February, A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of January, A. D. 1914.

J. T. SANBORN,
Judge of Probate.
MANTOR & EBERN,
Attorneys.

29-5-12

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On the Other Hand, the Temperate Tone of Address to Congress Finds General Favor—Co-operation From Republicans—Murdoch Calls Trust Program Inadequate.

Points that stand out in comments on the latest message of President Wilson to congress on supplementing and amplifying the anti-trust law are:

First.—Among senators the address to congress was received with mixed comment, though the general trend of expression was favorable.

Second.—Substantial support of the president's anti-trust program is indicated by members of congress outside of his party.

Third.—The chief note of dissent was raised in the Progressive camp. Representative Murdoch called the president's program "inadequate."

The views of some leading senators, representatives and business men are herewith presented:

Representative Underwood, Democratic Leader of the House.—President Wilson's message is, without doubt, one of the most statesmanlike papers ever presented to congress. It definitely points the way to progressive legislation.

Speaker Clark.—It is a very fine message.

Senator Lodge of Massachusetts.—I think it is a very able message. If

congress draws this needed legislation in the spirit which President Wilson professes to desire I cannot but think that it will be beneficial to the country.

Senator Myers of Montana, Democrat.—The message will have a good effect.

Gallinger For Co-operation. Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire, Republican Leader.—The president's suggestions are moderate and statesmanlike. There is nothing in them that need alarm any business man or any business interest of the United States.

Senator Shafroth of Colorado, Democrat.—I believe the coming laws will be moderate and helpful.

Senator Norris of Nebraska, Republican.—I would also carry the president's recommendation one step further and require the trust whose dissolution is ordered to turn into the treasury of the United States all the profits made while operating illegally.

Senator Kenyon of Iowa, Republican.—When President Wilson said that guilt was personal he struck the right note.

Representative James R. Mann, Republican Leader of the House.—I am very much pleased with that part of the president's message which relates to the issuance of stock and bonds by railroads.

Murdoch's Dissent. Representative Murdoch, Progressive Leader of the House.—The plan proposed by the president for the solution of the trust evil is inadequate. Like all inadequate plans, it will render the situation more acute. For twenty-five years we have been attacking the form of vicious combinations, not their substance. We spent a quarter of a century halting the Standard Oil company before the court of last resort. In the end we changed nothing but the form of the trust. It will do no good to continue this attack upon the form of things. The president is well intentioned, but so long as there are reactionary forces in his party he cannot get results in this problem. The three trust bills which I introduced for the Progressive party have no compromise with the reactionaries.

Representative Clayton, Chairman of the Judiciary Committee.—Congress is fully in accord with the note struck by President Wilson's message.

George W. Perkins of New York, National Progressive Chairman.—President Wilson's message is very disappointing to those who had followed his campaign utterances closely. He asserted that no constructive policy had been outlined.

George J. Gould said that he was optimistic on business.

President Wilson's presentation of the question of limiting an individual's voting power to one corporation in which he held stock was criticised in New York's financial district.

"Does this mean that if I have five pennies I can spend only one?" asked E. C. Converse, one of the largest stockholders in Wall street, who has just retired from the presidency of the Bankers' Trust company. Mr. Converse considers that this measure if it becomes law will limit investment.

Harriman & Co.—The message contains nothing that should alarm the investor.

Henry C. New York Banker.—The temperate and conciliatory tone of the message is commendable. There is nothing drastic in it.

Quite So. "Here's a girl says college students should be treated as if they were weak minded."

"There goes the old mistake of judging a man by his clothes."—Louisville

1913 PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES

These taxes were turned over to County Treasurer S. R. Adair for collection on January 1, 1914. On March 1 a penalty of 10 per cent attaches to all delinquent taxes.

Included in these personal tax figures are occasionally the taxes for moneys and credits and henceforth according to the request of many subscribers these moneys and credits are shown under the designation "M. C."

The townships and towns are taken alphabetically, commencing with Allen township and closing with the city of Brainerd.

IRON TOWN VILLAGE

Anderson, Mrs. C.	12.30
Asleson, O.	3.75
Armstrong, H. P. MC \$4.20	137.92
Berry, C. A.	6.00
Bjorklund, Otto	2.62
Chase, F. E., MC 30c	33.97
Clemens, R. J.	11.62
Cash Meat Market	75.30
Cayuna Duluth Iron Co.	114.37
Ellingson, H. E.	39.37
Ellingson Bros., MC \$6	163.27
Ellingson, M. B., MC 87c	36.72
Ellingson, G. P.	30.00
Fitzger Brg. Co.	37.50
Goodrich, J. S.	1.65
Huard, R. P.	31.12
Hammatt, Joe	37
Ironton Hdw. Co., MC \$4.50	94.50
Ironton Townsite Co.	16.87
Ironton Roller Rink	48.75
Johnson, Frank	7.87
Johnstone, A. B., MC 41c	65.21
Krueger, Edward	8.25
Kreitter, P. D.	2.25
Kleffman, R. C., MC 3c	7.90
Lasinski, M.	3.07
Lehrke E. H.	6.90
Lundbohm, Robt. E.	37.80
Long, P. J.	8.70
Lefkowitz, Herman, MC 60c	90.60
Leibold, Mrs. J.	3.45
Lundgren, Chas.	6.07
Mattson, J. E., MC \$12.42	24.34
McAlpine, D. B., MC 8c	3.83
McCooy, J. E.	27.75
Norin, E.	1.87
Norlander, Carl	8.62
Nieman, H. J., MC 7c	9.44
Ogrynorich Dan	38.25
Oits Howard	6.37
Olson, Aug.	13.87
Peterson, A.	17.25
Peterson Gust	1.87
Patrick, Frank, MC 15c	79.65
Peterson, Adolph	1.50
Pennington Mining Co.	1,500.00
Rowley, C. B.	43.65
Sappala, Stanley	3.75
Seadlund, Paul	4.87
Syversen, E. R. MC 15c	23.40
Spina, Peter, MC \$1.25	61.25
Vedoveich Chris	3.75
Williamson, Chas.	6.75
Walker, Henry	6.00
Cuyuna Range Power Co.	41.25
Troquois Iron Co.	1,737.37
Gregerson, Obert	6.97
First State bank	374.17
Kaigley, Albert, MC 6c	1.17
Maynarich, Matt, MC \$3.84	1.17

JENKINS.

Armstrong, W. E.	5.37
Satre, Martin	2.93
Ritchie, D.	8.28
Ritchie, N.	13.90
Mason, Chas.	6.15
Hardy, M. W.	6.35
Kemper, Fred	29.89
Riddle, J. W.	19.37
Curo, W. A.	45.80
Rush, Della E.	13.53
Warrick, V.	3.89
Warrick, R. E.	1.76
Sata, Peter	4.67
Ramey, W.	3.10
Carlson, Olaf	19
Rush, Dan	5.32
Holst, H. A.	7.26
Schwartz, H.	2.91
Schwartz, Henry	7.17
Garrard, R. J.	1.51
Merchants Steel Supply Co.	205.00
Rodgers C. E.	33
Schick John	3.59
Dudgeon Mrs. W.	1.84
Dugnan Pat	1.24
Ackerman, John H.	5.81
Johnson, Christ	6.43
Reed, E. W.	2.11
Knutzen, Geo.	5.08
Broders, Nelson	8.20
Nelson, L.	9.14
Bryant, F.	3.20
Bogart, W. B.	3.65
Buhl, John	6.25
Heath, Mirle	1.52
Pilett Grain & Potato Co.	12.30
Heath, Rufus	72
Burchett, J. C.	50
Hackert, A.	52
Pequot-Jenkins Horse Co.	50
Rackliff, A.	51

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CULLOM A TIRELESS WORKER

Early Riser From Boyhood and Wonderfully Energetic For His Age.

In spite of the fact that he was past eighty, Shelby M. Cullom of Illinois was one of the most tireless workers in Washington when he was United States senator. His habits of daily attendance and long working hours remained with him from his youth. He could no more fall to rise at 6 o'clock, eat breakfast an hour or so later and answer his personal correspondence before starting to the capitol than he could fly. There he answered his official correspondence, received visitors and transacted business or attended committee meetings up to the hour of noon, when he took his seat in the senate chamber.

The senator rarely attended social affairs of any kind, but saved his strength for his legislative work.

Different. "Has your wife gone shopping?" "Alas, I'm afraid not! I'm afraid she's gone buying."—Boston Transcript.

COMMISSIONERS PROCEEDINGS

(Continued from page three)

vertised list, and upon motion the job was let to the Kimball Storer Co. of Minneapolis for \$228.50.

A letter was read from Dr. Bracken of the state board of health in regard to a tuberculosis patient, reporting that Otter Tail county had a county sanitarium which might accommodate outside patients. The county attorney was instructed to take the matter up and find out if there was any room available at present.

C. O. Carlson applied for some help on highway in section 6, Bay Lake town but no action was taken at the present time.

William Thompson asked for several loads of pole wood to be taken from the county's cut over tract on NW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 20, Twp. 44, Rge. 29 and it was agreed that he might take the same at \$1.00 per load.

Martin Seipp appeared on behalf of the South Bay Lake Telephone Co. asking for right to set line of poles along the same highway that the Grave Lake company will set their poles and extending on east to the south part of Bay lake and north part of Garrison. A motion was made and carried granting the request.

Plat of North Shore Acres which had been laid out by the proprietor W. E. Millbery on north shore of Serpentine lake was presented to the board and on motion duly approved.

A letter was read from a committee headed by Cornelius Venderbilt inviting the board to join in the celebration commemorating the 300th anniversary of the founding of the city of New York, and offering space for an exhibit of this county's products.

The chairman appointed Commissioner Kreech and Oberg to act with Dr. Joseph Nicholson as a county board of health.

The resignation of J. J. Tucker as county commissioner from the First district was read, and on motion the same was accepted.

The following bills were allowed: Brainerd Tribune, printing

and publishing \$23.65 Brainerd Dispatch, printing and publishing \$34.88 Free Press Printing Co.,

blanks 3.75 Fritz Cross company, books and

blanks 52.03 Security Blank Book & Print-

ing Co., books and blanks. 11.24 M. W. Welch Mfg. Co., certi-

ficates for Supt. of schools. 4.23 Eaton Frye Company, carbon

paper 4.00 Fred J. Reid, boarding prison-

ers 89.40 Fred J. Reid, expense state

cases 3.00 Claus A. Theorin, expense state

cases 12.80 City of Brainerd, costs state

cases 83.35 Cecelia Bislar, stenographer

municipal court 19.03 Leander W. Reichensperger,

witness municipal court. 4.36 Walter Carl, witness munici-

pal court 4.36 John Dempsey, witness munici-

pal court 4.36 Chas. G. Osterlund, fees deputy

coroner 26.80 D. E. Whitney, burial of War-

ren Godfrey 27.58 W. R. Mills, care of Warren

Godfrey 50.00 N. B. Hall, firing nights during

dec. term of court 40.00 McGinn & Smith, supplies for

court house 2.10 Water & Light Board, water

rental 4th quarter 25.00 O'Brien Mercantile Co., wood

for jail 13.50 John Larson, coal for jail 59.01

B. C. McNamara, blankets and

mattress for jail 8.00 D. M. Clark & Co., supplies and

repair court house and jail 3.50 J. J. Tucker, committee work

tax matter 6.40 J. A. Oberg, committee work

tax matter 6.40 A. Purdy, livery for sheriff 5.00

Ole Benson, livery for Supt. of

schools 17.00 August Swanson, expense min-

ing inspector 10.61 N. W. Tel. Ex. Co., rental court

house and jail 17.00 P. W. Hollingsworth, livery

bringing Warren Godfrey

to Brainerd 6.00 United Chemical Co., 30 gals.

hygersope 30.00 W. A. M. Johnston, 8 days

board of audit checking re-

ceipts 24.00 J. F. Smart, 8 days board of

audit checking receipts 24.00 J. A. Erickson, 7 days board of

audit checking receipts 21.00 Lewis E. Garrison expense state

engineer 12.00 Abe Alden, assisting state en-

gineer in survey 6.87 On motion meeting adjourned.

J. F. SMART,

County Auditor.

Not Worded the Same. Just as the family was about to sit down to the evening meal the minister unexpectedly dropped in and was asked to join them.

When the maid set the table she had turned the plates bottom side up. Written on the bottom was the name of the manufacturer.

The minister was asked to say grace, and as he did so he reverently bowed his head above his plate.

When he had finished the little five-year-old daughter of the house picked up her plate, looked at the manufacturer's name closely and said:

"Papa, it doesn't say that on my plate."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Off and On. "Save when you're young." The speaker, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was addressing a Y. M. C. A. meeting in Cleveland.

"Save when you're young," repeated Mr. Rockefeller, with a smile. "The years will pass swiftly. Then when you find yourself well on you'll also find yourself well off."

Mexican Hats. A hat such as is worn by Mexicans may cost anywhere from 5 cents to \$500. The better ones weigh from six to eight pounds and carry many dollars' worth of silver and gold trimming.

GIRLS! GIRLS! TRY IT, BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR

Make it thick, glossy, wavy, luxuriant and remove dandruff—Real surprise for you

Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and beautiful as a young girl's after a "Danderine hair cleanse." Just try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt and excessive oil and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair.

Besides beautifying the hair at once, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff, cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair. But what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use when you will actually see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it surely get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any druggist or toilet counter, and just try it.—Advt.

WANTS

Notices under this head will be charged for at the rate of one cent a word for the first insertion and one-half a cent a word for each subsequent insertion, strictly cash in advance, but no ad will be taken for less than fifteen cents.

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Girl at 215 N. 5th street. Call evenings. 201-tf

WANTED—Two girl waiters at Brainerd Restaurant, 624 Front Street. 206tf

WANTED—Competent girl for housework. Small family. 721 Laurel street, upstairs. 208tf

WANTED—One second hand, late, Crow Wing plat book. Write Digen, 1101 Metropolitan Life Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn. 20316

SALESMAN WANTED—\$75.00 per month and all expenses to begin. Experience not absolutely necessary. Take orders from dealers for cigarettes, cigars, snuff, smoking and chewing tobaccos. Penn Wholesale Tobacco Co., Station O, New York, N. Y. 183-2mo

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Two furnished apartments. Inquire at Palace Hotel. 183tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room with modern equipments. Inquire of Christ Schwabe. 207t3p

FOR RENT—Pleasant furnished room in modern home, centrally located; furnace heat, bath room, etc. 423 Broadway N., corner Ivy. 208t3

WANTED TO RENT—Four or five good rooms. Must have bath, electric lights, etc. Will pay good rent for suitable location. Address 45X Dispatch. 208t3

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Range, double oven, cooking surface 3 by 6 feet, in fair condition. Inquire N. P. hospital. 208t3

MISCELLANEOUS

TYPEWRITERS For sale and rent. Supplies R. B. Millard, Little Falls

LOST—A plain gold stick pin with initials B. O. L. Return to room 214 Iron Exchange and receive reward. 207t2

LOST—Saturday, January 31, bundle containing child's muff, picture, pin and four glass cups. If found please notify W. E. Lewis, Flak, Minn. Phone Rural 18-9. 207t3p-wlp

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